

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

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10. (currently amended) A method comprising:  
receiving a digital image at a server;

rendering a line-art image from the digital image;  
formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image;  
transmitting the coloring book image to a client;  
automatically creating a story board including at least one coloring book image; and

printing the story board at the client on a single surface,

*new matter*

~~printing the coloring book image at the client; and~~

~~including the coloring book image within a story board,~~

wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at least one fillable area.

11. (original) A method of Claim 10 further comprising:

generating at least one color sample from the digital image; and assigning at least one color sample to a corresponding image area of the line-art image.

12. (original) The method of Claim 11 further comprising:

assigning an index number corresponding to at least one sample color; and printing the index number with a name of the corresponding sampled color together with the coloring book image.

13. (original) The method of Claim 10 wherein the client is located at a public kiosk.

14. (original) The method of Claim 13 wherein a fee is charged for the printing at the public kiosk.

15. (original) The method of Claim 10 further comprising:

combining the coloring book image with stock images to produce a coloring book storyboard.

16. (original) The method of Claim 10 wherein the digital image is selected from the group consisting of an eight bit grayscale image, an eight bit duotone image, an eight bit palette image, a sixteen bit grayscale image, a twenty-four bit color image, a thirty-two bit color image, and a forty-eight bit color image.

17. (currently amended) A method comprising:

transmitting a digital image to a server;

receiving a coloring book image rendered from the digital image;

~~printing the coloring book image; and~~

attaching a plurality of coloring book images to form a coloring book; and

printing the coloring book containing the plurality of coloring book images

wherein each page of the coloring book is printed on a single surface,

*attach -*

*new method*

wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at least one fillable area.

18. (original) The method of Claim 17 wherein the printing is performed at a public kiosk.

19. (original) The method of Claim 18 wherein a fee is charged for the printing at the public kiosk.

20. (original) The method of Claim 17 wherein the digital image is selected from the group consisting of an eight bit grayscale image, an eight bit duotone image,

an eight bit palette image, a sixteen bit grayscale image, a twenty-four bit color image, a thirty-two bit color image, and a forty-eight bit color image.

21. (currently amended) A method comprising:

receiving a digital image from a client;  
rendering a line-art image from the digital image;  
formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image; and  
attaching a plurality of coloring book images to form a coloring book; and  
printing the coloring book containing the plurality of coloring book images  
wherein each page of the coloring book is printed on a single surface,  
wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at  
least one fillable area.

22. (original) The method of Claim 21 further comprising:

transmitting the coloring book image to the client.

23. (original) The method of Claim 21 further comprising:

generating at least one color sample from the digital image; and assigning  
at least one color sample to a corresponding image area of the line-art image.

24. (original) The method of Claim 23 further comprising:

assigning an index number corresponding to the at least one sample color  
together with the coloring book image.

25. (original) The method of Claim 24 further comprising:

printing the index number with a name of the corresponding sampled  
color.

26. (original) The method of Claim 21 further comprising:

printing the coloring book image.

27. (original) The method of Claim 26 wherein the printing is performed at a public kiosk.

28. (original) The method of Claim 27 wherein a fee is charged for the printing at the public kiosk.

29. (original) The method of Claim 26 wherein the rendering, formatting, and printing is performed at a public kiosk.

30. (original) The method of Claim 29 wherein a fee is charged for the rendering, formatting, and printing at the public kiosk.

31. (original) The method of Claim 21 further comprising:

combining the coloring book image with stock images to produce a coloring book storyboard.

32. (original) The method of Claim 21 wherein the digital image is selected from the group consisting of an eight bit grayscale image, an eight bit duotone image, an eight bit palette image, a sixteen bit grayscale image, a twenty-four bit color image, a thirty-two bit color image, and forty-eight bit color image.

33. (currently amended) A system comprising:

means for rendering a line-art image from a digital image;

means formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image;

means for printing the coloring book image; and  
means for binding multiple coloring book images together to form a coloring book wherein each page of a coloring book is printed on a single surface,  
wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at least one fillable area.

34. (currently amended) A system comprising:

means for receiving a digital image at a server;  
means for rendering a line-art image from the digital image;  
means formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image;  
means for transmitting the coloring book image to a client;  
means for printing the coloring book image at the client; and  
means for binding multiple coloring book images together to form a coloring book wherein each page of a coloring book is printed on a single surface,  
wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at least one fillable area.

35. (currently amended) A system comprising:

means for transmitting a digital image to a server;  
means for receiving a coloring book image rendered from the digital image;  
means for printing the coloring book image; and  
means for formatting multiple coloring book images together to form a story board wherein the story board is printed on a single surface,

wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at least one fillable area.

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47. (currently amended) A computer readable medium comprising instructions, which when executed on a processor, perform a method comprising:

rendering a line-art image from a digital image;  
formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image;  
printing the coloring book image; and  
attaching a plurality of coloring book images to form a coloring book  
wherein each page of the coloring book is printed on a single surface,  
wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at  
least one fillable area.

48. (currently amended) A computer readable medium comprising instructions,  
which when executed on a processor, perform a method comprising:

receiving a digital image at a server;  
rendering a line-art image from the digital image;  
formatting a coloring book image from the line-art image;  
transmitting the coloring book image to a client;  
printing the coloring book image at the client; and  
including the coloring book image within a story board wherein the story  
board is printed on a single surface,  
wherein the coloring book image represents the digital image and includes at  
least one fillable area.

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If the Examiner finds any remaining impediment to the prompt allowance of these claims that could be clarified with a telephone conference, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Richard H. Butler at (408) 223-9763.

Respectfully submitted,

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